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2017 TRIPLE CROWN SERIES ATTRACTS 418 NOMINATIONS DURING EARLY PHASE

Early Nomination Total for Kentucky Derby, Preakness Belmont Rises 13.6% From 2016

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (Tuesday, Jan. 24, 2017) – John C. Oxley's **Classic Empire**, the champion 2-year-old of 2016 and winner of the Sentient Jet Breeders' Cup Juvenile (Grade I), heads an international roster of 418 3-year-old Thoroughbreds made eligible during the early nomination phase to compete in the classic races of the 2017 American Triple Crown: the **\$2 million Kentucky Derby Presented by Yum! Brands** (Grade I), the **\$1.5 million Preakness** (GI) and the **\$1.5 million Belmont Stakes** (GI).

The **Mark Casse**-trained **Classic Empire**, a unanimous choice among voters of the Eclipse Award that honored America's juvenile champion, heads an international roster of early Triple Crown-eligible horses that also includes **Don Alberto Stable's** fast-rising filly **Unique Bella** among five females nominated and 18 nominees based outside of North American, a total that includes a record nine horses based in Japan.

The 2017 Triple Crown series opens on Saturday, May 6 with the 143rd running of the 1 ¼-mile Kentucky Derby at **Churchill Downs** in Louisville, Ky. The 142nd Preakness, the 1 3/16-mile second jewel, is set for Saturday, May 20 at **Pimlico Race Course** in Baltimore, Md. The 149th running of the Belmont Stakes, its 1 ½-mile final leg, is scheduled for Saturday, June 10 at **Belmont Park** in Elmont, N.Y.

The early nomination total for the three-race series is an increase of 13.6 percent from 2016, when the early phase of Triple Crown attracted 368 horses. An additional nine Thoroughbreds were made eligible during the late nomination period to raise the overall 2016 nomination total to 377. The 2017 nomination total represents 1.9 percent of an estimated foal crop of 22,300.

Owners and trainers of promising 3-year-olds were required to pay a fee of \$600 to make their young stars eligible to compete in the Triple Crown series during the early nomination period, which concluded at 11:59 p.m. (all times Eastern) on Saturday, Jan. 14. A late nomination period, which requires the payment of \$6,000 for each nominated 3-year-old, is now underway and continues through Monday, March 20.

Each race in the 2016 Triple Crown produced a different winner when **Reddam Racing LLC's** then-unbeaten **Nyquist** won the Kentucky Derby; **Big Chief Racing LLC, Head of Plains Partners LLC, Rocket O Ranch LLC et al.'s Exaggerator** took the Preakness; and **WinStar Farm LLC** and **Bobby Flay's Creator** completed the series with a dramatic triumph in the Belmont Stakes.

One year earlier **Zayat Stables' American Pharoah**, trained by **Bob Baffert** and ridden by **Victor Espinoza**, became only the 12th 3-year-old, and the first since **Affirmed** in 1978, to sweep the Triple Crown.

The 37-year gap between American Pharoah's 2015 Triple Crown and the previous sweep by Thoroughbred Racing Hall of Fame member Affirmed was the longest in the history of the series that dates to 1919, when **Sir Barton** became the first Thoroughbred to sweep the three classic races.

While Classic Empire will attempt to become the second consecutive juvenile champion to win at least one of the Triple Crown classics – 2016 Kentucky Derby winner **Nyquist** was the champion of his age group in 2015 – the roster of nominees to this year's series is populated by both accomplished stars and promising up-and-coming individuals.

Along with two-time Grade I stakes winner Classic Empire, other winners of Grade I events among the nominees include **Cheyenne Stable LLC's Mastery**, the Baffert-trained winner of the Los Alamitos Futurity; **Gormley**, winner of Santa Anita's FrontRunner for owners **Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Moss** and trainer **John Shirreffs**; **Klaravich Stable** and **William H. Lawrence's Practical Joke**, winner of the Hopeful at Saratoga and Belmont Park's Champagne; **Kaleem Shah Inc.'s Klimt**, winner of the Del Mar Futurity now trained by **Art Sherman**; and **Stud Dona Licha's Huracan Americo**, winner of Peru's Derby Nacional. John C. Oxley's **Pretty City Dancer**, one of the five female Triple Crown nominees, scored a dead-heat victory in Saratoga's Spinaway (GI) for 2-year-old fillies.

Other notable nominees include **Whitham Thoroughbreds LLC's McCracken**, winner of Churchill Downs' Kentucky Jockey Club (GII); **Michael Tabor, Mrs. John Magnier, Derrick Smith and Team D's Mo Town**, winner of Aqueduct's Remsen (GII); **Peacock Racing Stables LLC's Gunnevera**, winner of the Delta Jackpot (GIII) at Delta Downs; **William S. Farish and Lora Jean Kilroy's Guest Suite**, winner of the Lecomte (GIII) at Fair Grounds; **M M G Stables LLC's El Areeb**, winner of Aqueduct's Jerome (GIII); **Godolphin Racing's Nashua** (GII) winner **Hemsworth**; and **Shinichi Yamashita's Mont Saint Legame (JPN)**, unbeaten winner of the Cattleja Sho at Japan's Tokyo Racecourse.

Other rising stars include **Robert LaPenta** and **Harry Rosenblum's Uncontested**, a front-running winner of the Smarty Jones Stakes at Oaklawn Park; **Calumet Farm's** duo of **Wild Shot**, runner-up in the Kentucky Jockey Club and third in the Claiborne Breeders' Futurity, and **Sonic Mule**, winner of the Mucho Macho Man at Gulfstream Park; **Isabelle de Tomaso's** unbeaten **Irish War Cry**, winner of Marylander at Laurel Park; **L and N Racing LLC's Lookin At Lee**, winner of the Ellis Park Juvenile; and **Lael Stable's No Dozing**, runner-up in the Remsen.

The **Jerry Hollendorfer**-trained **Unique Bella**, winner of the recent Santa Ynez (GII) at Santa Anita, and **Pretty City Dancer** head a group of five Triple Crown-nominated fillies that also includes **Stonestreet Stables LLC's** Breeders' Cup 14 Hands Winery Juvenile Fillies (GI) runner-up **Valadorna**.

Resurgent Triple Crown legend **Calumet Farm**, the historic Lexington, Ky. farm now owned by **Brad Kelley**, led all owners with 14 nominations, one more than **Zayat Stables**, the owner of 2015 Triple Crown winner American Pharoah. Calumet Farm has collected a record 17 victories in Triple Crown races including sweeps by **Whirlaway** (1941) and **Citation** (1948). The total includes a record eight triumphs in the Kentucky Derby, a record seven Preakness wins and the pair of Belmont Stakes wins by its Triple Crown champions.

Charles Fipke nominated 11 horses to rank third among all owners, and was followed by three owners with nine nominees: **Reddam Racing LLC**; **Michael Tabor, Mrs. John Magnier and Derrick Smith**; and **WinStar Farm**.

Todd Pletcher, who includes victories in the Kentucky Derby (Super Saver, 2010) and Belmont Stakes (Rags to Riches, 2007, and Palace Malice, 2013) on his resumé, led all trainers when he nominated 33 3-year-olds to the 2017 Triple Crown. Baffert – who has 12 Triple Crown wins (four in the Kentucky Derby, six in the Preakness and two in the Belmont Stakes) – and **Doug O'Neill**, who has earned three Triple Crown triumphs (two in the Kentucky Derby and one in the Preakness), were next among trainers with 21 nominees. **Steve Asmussen**, who saddled Creator to win the 2016 Belmont Stakes, nominated 17 horses, one more than Hollendorfer's total of 15.

Breeders of Triple Crown-eligible 3-year-olds were led by Fipke, who bred 10 nominated horses and **Stonestreet Thoroughbred Holdings LLC**, which bred nine nominees that included one bred in a partnership. Calumet Farm, which has bred a record nine winners of the Kentucky Derby and a record seven Preakness winners to bring its total of victories in Triple Crown races as a breeder to a record 18, bred seven nominated horses. The Calumet total that tied for third among Triple Crown breeders with **Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd. Betz Thoroughbreds Inc.** and **WinStar Farm** were next with six nominees each.

Kentucky easily remained the leading birthplace of Triple Crown hopefuls as 313 of the 418 early nominees were foaled in the Bluegrass State – 76.3 percent of the overall total. Florida was next with 25 nominated horses and California and New York tied for third at 11. Japan was the top birthplace among nominees foaled outside the U.S. It produced nine nominees, one more than Ontario, Canada.

The Kentucky Derby field has been limited to 20 starters since 1975 and the horses that enter the starting gate for its 2016 renewal will again be determined by points earned in the **“Road to the Kentucky Derby”** eligibility system, which debuted in 2013. If entries to the Derby total more than the maximum field of 20, up to four “also eligible” entrants will be permitted. If one or more entrants scratch from the 20-horse Kentucky Derby field prior to 9 a.m. Friday, May 5, the also-eligible horse or horses with highest preference in the “Road to the Kentucky Derby” system assume the empty stalls in the starting gate.

The Preakness is limited to 14 starters, while the Belmont Stakes permits a maximum field of 16 horses.

Three-year-olds that were not nominated to the Triple Crown during either the early or late nomination phases have a final opportunity to become eligible for the races through payment of a **supplemental nomination fee**. Due at the time of entry for either the Kentucky Derby, the Preakness or the Belmont Stakes, the supplemental fee process makes a horse eligible for the remainder of the Triple Crown series. A supplemental nomination at the time of entry to the Kentucky Derby requires payment of \$200,000. The fee is \$150,000 if paid prior to the Preakness or \$75,000 at time of entry to the Belmont Stakes.

Churchill Downs adjusted its entry process in 2014 to permit horses that are made supplemental nominations prior to the Kentucky Derby to be treated the same as original nominees. If one or more supplemental nominees possess sufficient “Road to the Kentucky Derby” points to qualify for the Derby field, they will be allowed to start over original nominees that possess lesser qualifications. Under its previous policy, Churchill Downs gave preference in all cases to early and late Triple Crown nominees.

The 12 winners of the Triple Crown are Sir Barton (1919), **Gallant Fox** (1930), **Omaha** (1935), **War Admiral** (1937), Whirlaway (1941), **Count Fleet** (1943), **Assault** (1946), Citation (1948), **Secretariat** (1973), **Seattle Slew** (1977), Affirmed (1978) and American Pharoah (2015).

TRIPLE CROWN NOMINATION HISTORY

The Triple Crown nomination procedure was initiated in 1986. The largest number of nominees to the Triple Crown was 460 in 2007 and 2008. Before 1986, the largest number of Kentucky Derby nominees was 432 in 1981; the smallest, 32, in 1913. The early nomination fee has been \$600 from the start. The late nomination has been \$6,000 since 1994. Prior to 1994, the late nomination was \$3,000 (1986-90) and \$4,500 (1991-93). The following is a listing of Triple Crown nominees since 1986, including early and late totals.

Year	Early Noms	Late Noms	Total Noms	North America Foal Crop	% of Foal Crop
2017	418 (+13.6%)			22,300*	1.9%
2016	368	9	377	23,192	1.6%
2015	429	9	438	23,509	1.9%
2014	414	10	424	24,930	1.7%
2013	369	13	382	28,413	1.4%
2012	398	20	418	32,361	1.3%
2011	364	13	377	35,272	1.1%
2010	366	6	372	37,498	1.0%
2009	401	11	412	38,104	1.1%
2008	449	11	460	38,365	1.2%
2007	450	10	460	37,949	1.2%
2006	426	14	440	37,067	1.2%
2005	358	14	372	35,978	1.0%
2004	434	14	448	37,901	1.2%
2003	446	8	454	37,755	1.2%
2002	405	12	417	36,929	1.1%
2001	440	7	447	36,021	1.2%
2000	387	13	400	35,143	1.1%
1999	396	11	407	35,366	1.2%
1998	384	6	390	34,983	1.1%
1997	375	13	388	35,341	1.1%
1996	354	7	361	37,140	1.0%
1995	317	7	324	38,438	0.8%
1994	354	9	363	41,804	0.9%
1993	342	25	367	44,143	0.8%
1992	389	18	407	48,235	0.8%
1991	369	8	377	49,221	0.8%
1990	315	33	348	50,917	0.7%
1989	381	13	394	51,296	0.8%
1988	381	20	401	50,430	0.8%
1987	398	24	422	49,241	0.9%
1986	422	30	452	47,236	1.0%

* Estimated

2017 TRIPLE CROWN NOMINATIONS STATS AT A GLANCE

GENDER

	2017	
Colts	378	90.4%
Geldings	30	7.2%
Ridglings	5	1.2%
Fillies	5	1.2%
TOTAL	418	

COLOR

	2017	
Bay	181	43.3%
Dark Bay/Brown	110	26.3%
Chestnut	81	19.4%
Gray/Roan	46	11.0%
TOTAL	418	

BIRTHPLACE

	2017	
(United States)		
Kentucky	319	76.3%
Florida	25	6.0%
California	11	2.6%
New York	11	2.6%
Maryland	9	2.2%
Pennsylvania	7	1.7%
Louisiana	5	1.2%
Ohio	4	1.0%
Iowa	2	0.5%
Oklahoma	2	0.5%
Arizona	1	0.2%
Illinois	1	0.2%
New Jersey	1	0.2%
Oregon	1	0.2%
TOTAL	399	95.5%

BIRTHPLACE

	2017	
(International)		
Japan	9	2.2%
Ontario, Canada	8	1.9%
France	1	0.2%
Ireland	1	0.2%
TOTAL	19	4.5%

CAREER EARNINGS LEADERS

Classic Empire	\$1,485,920
Gunnevera	\$771,000
Practical Joke	\$739,800
Three Rules	\$700,640
California Diamond	\$417,780
Klimt	\$416,960
Valadorna (f)	\$384,600
Levante Lion	\$365,887
Epicharis (JPN)	\$357,704
Lancaster Bomber	\$328,745
Syndergaard	\$323,800
Pat On the Back	\$310,020
Lookin At Lee	\$299,795
Gormley	\$296,000
Shane's Girlfriend	\$295,200
Cool Arrow	\$282,835
Mastery	\$271,200
Hot Sean	\$255,000
Made You Look	\$250,140

GRADE/GROUP I WINNERS (7)

Classic Empire (Breeders' Futurity, Breeders' Cup Juvenile)
Gormley (FrontRunner)
Huracan Americo (Derby Nacional)
Klimt (Del Mar Futurity)
Mastery (Los Alamitos Futurity)
Practical Joke (Hopeful, Champagne)
Pretty City Dancer (f) (Spinaway)

GRADE/GROUP II WINNERS (8)

Good Samaritan (Summer)
Gunnevera (Saratoga Special)
Hemsworth (Nashua)
Made You Look (With Anticipation)
McCraken (Kentucky Jockey Club)
Mo Town (Remsen)
Unique Bella (f) (Santa Ynez)
War Decree (Vintage)

GRADE/GROUP III WINNERS (7)

Bitumen (Sanford)
El Areeb (Jerome)
Guest Suite (g) (LeComte)
Levante Lion (Hakodate Nisai)
Shane's Girlfriend (f) (Delta Princess)
Term of Art (Cecil B. DeMille)
Theory (Futurity)

GRADE/GROUP I PLACED (10)

Dangerfield (3rd Los Alamitos Futurity)
 Irap (2nd Los Alamitos Futurity)
 Lancaster Bomber (2nd Dewhurst, Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf)
 Lookin At Lee (2nd Breeders' Futurity)
 Midnight Pleasure (3rd Del Mar Futurity)
 Royal Copy (2nd Hopeful)
 Syndergaard (2nd Champagne)
 Valadorna (f) (2nd Breeders' Cup Juvenile Fillies Turf)
 Whitecliffsofdoover (3rd Prix Jean-Luc Lagardere Grand Criterium)
 Wild Shot (3rd Breeders' Futurity)

GRADE/GROUP II PLACED (10)

Capitaine (3rd Nashua)
 Conquest Farenheit (2nd Summer)
 Han Sense (2nd Nashua)
 Hot Sean (2nd Delta Downs Jackpot)
 No Dozing (2nd Remsen)
 Sonic Mule (3rd Saratoga Special)
 Takaful (3rd Remsen)
 Thirstforlife (3rd Best Pal)
 Tip Tap Tapizar (2nd Saratoga Special)
 Warrior's Club (3rd Kentucky Jockey Club)

GRADE/GROUP III PLACED (14)

American Anthem (2nd Sham)
 Ann Arbor Eddie (g) (3rd Bob Hope)
 Big Hit (3rd Sham)
 Bonus Points (2nd Jerome)
 California Diamond (2nd Bob Hope)
 King and His Court (g) (3rd Grey)
 Moves Like Ali (3rd Futurity)
 Recruiting Ready (2nd Bashford Manor, 3rd Iroquois)
 Spirit of Valor (2nd Killavullan)
 Takeoff (3rd Lecomte)
 Ticonderoga (2nd Bourbon)
 True Timber (3rd Jerome)
 Untrapped (2nd Lecomte)
 Vending Machine (3rd Cecil B. DeMille)

FILLIES (5)

Shane's Girlfriend (f)
 Paradise Woods (f)
 Pretty City Dancer (f)
 Unique Bella (f)
 Valadorna (f)

BASED OUTSIDE NORTH AMERICA (18)

Adirato (JPN)	Naosuke Sugai (Japan)
Bee Jersey	Doug Watson (Dubai)
Caucus (JPN)	Hideaki Fujiwara (Japan)
Epicharis (JPN)	Kiyoshi Hagiwara (Japan)
Foggy Night (JPN)	Noriyuki Hori (Japan)
Highland Peak (JPN)	Minoru Tsuchida (Japan)
Lancaster Bomber	Aidan O'Brien (Ireland)
Levante Lion	Yoshito Yahagi (Japan)
Mont Saint Legame (JPN)	Koji Maki (Japan)
My Blue Heaven (JPN)	Yoshitada Takahashi (Japan)
Perfect Tapatino (FR)	Damian English (Ireland)
Solo Saxophone (IRE)	Dermot Weld (Ireland)
Spirit of Valor	Aidan O'Brien (Ireland)

Task Force (JPN)

War Decree

War Secretary

Whitecliffsofdoover

Zumurudee

Naosuke Sugai (Japan)

Aidan O'Brien (Ireland)

Aidan O'Brien (Ireland)

Aiden O'Brien (Ireland)

Marco Botti (England)

LAST RACE OUTSIDE NORTH AMERICA, NOW U.S. (2)

Huracan Americo

Dante Zanelli Jr. (Peru)

Your Only Man

Todd Pletcher (Ireland)

AUCTION PURCHASE PRICE

Foggy Night (JPN)	\$1,872,200	JRA15
Formula One	\$1,700,000	OBSMAR16
Monaco	\$1,300,000	OBSMAR16
Glacier	\$1,200,000	OBSAPR16
Tapwrit	\$1,200,000	FTSAUG15
Whitecliffsofdoover	\$1,150,000	KEESEP15
Extricate	\$1,100,000	KEESEP15
Dabster	\$1,000,000	FTFMAR16
Egyptian Hero	\$1,000,000	FTFMAR16
Master Plan	\$850,000	OBSMAR16
Spirit of Valor	\$850,000	KEENOV14
Ticonderoga	\$850,000	KEESEP15
Pretty City Dancer (f)	\$825,000	KEESEP15
War Secretary	\$825,000	KEESEP15
Fayeq	\$800,000	KEESEP15
Conquest Farenheit	\$735,000	KEENOV16
Battalion Runner	\$700,000	KEESEP15
Saraab	\$700,000	FTSAUG15
Blame Will	\$600,000	FTSAUG15
Bronze Age	\$600,000	FTFMAR16
Factorial	\$600,000	KEESEP15
Saburo	\$600,000	EASMAY16
Tapsolute	\$600,000	KEESEP15
Tunnel Vision	\$600,000	KEESEP15
Floroplus	\$585,000	OBSMAR16
Curate	\$575,000	KEESEP15
Third Day	\$575,000	OBSMAR16
Hot Sean	\$550,000	KEESEP15
Perfect Partner	\$550,000	OBSMAR16
Spectacular Jack	\$550,000	KEESEP15
Takeoff	\$550,000	OBSMAR16
Silver Dust	\$510,000	OBSMAR16
Avail Ekati	\$500,000	FTSAUG15
Heartwood	\$500,000	FTKNV14
Honor and Courage	\$500,000	FTSAUG15
Local Hero	\$500,000	FTFMAR16
Pollock	\$500,000	KEESEP15
Timeline	\$500,000	KEESEP15

TRAINERS

Todd Pletcher	33 (28 in 2016)
Bob Baffert	21 (35 in 2016)
Doug O'Neill	21 (9 in 2016)
Steve Asmussen	17 (8 in 2016)
Jerry Hollendorfer	15 (9 in 2016)
Chad Brown	13 (12 in 2016)
Mark Casse	11 (11 in 2016)
Kiaran McLaughlin	11 (2 in 2016)
Phil D'Amato	10 (3 in 2016)
D. Wayne Lukas	9 (10 in 2016)
Dale Romans	8 (5 in 2016)
Richard Mandella	7 (3 in 2016)
Mike Maker	6 (10 in 2016)
Kenny McPeck	6 (3 in 2016)
Tom Albertrani	5 (6 in 2016)
Mark Hennig	5 (0 in 2016)
Peter Miller	5 (4 in 2016)
Ron Moquett	5 (1 in 2016)
Randy Morse	5 (0 in 2016)
Bill Mott	5 (7 in 2016)
Aidan O'Brien	5 (4 in 2016)
Jack Van Berg	5 (2 in 2016)
Roger Attfield	4 (2 in 2016)
Gustavo Delgado	4 (4 in 2016)
Graham Motion	4 (4 in 2016)
George Papaprodromou	4 (2 in 2016)
Dallas Stewart	4 (9 in 2016)

HALL OF FAME TRAINERS

Bob Baffert	21
Steve Asmussen	17
Jerry Hollendorfer	15
D. Wayne Lukas	9
Richard Mandella	7
Bill Mott	5
Jack Van Berg	5
Roger Attfield	4
Shug McGaughey III	3
Nick Zito	3
Neil Drysdale	1

KENTUCKY DERBY-WINNING TRAINERS

Todd Pletcher	33
Bob Baffert	21
Doug O'Neill	21
D. Wayne Lukas	9
Jack Van Berg	5
Graham Motion	4
Nick Zito	3
Shug McGaughey III	3
Barclay Tagg	3
John Shirreffs	2
Neil Drysdale	1
Michael Matz	1
John Servis	1
Art Sherman	1

OWNERS (includes partnerships)

Calumet Farm	14
Zayat Stables	13
Charles Fipke	11
Reddam Racing LLC	9
Michael Tabor, Mrs. John	
Magnier & Derrick Smith	9
WinStar Farm	9
China Horse Club	8
Stonestreet Stables LLC	8
St. Elias Stable	7
West Point Thoroughbreds	7
Robert LaPenta	6
Eclipse Thoroughbred	
Partners	5
Klaravich Stables Inc. &	
William H. Lawrence	5
Bad Boy Racing LLC	4
Gary Barber	4
Courtland Farms	4
Jerry Hollendorfer	4
Kretz Racing LLC	4
Peter Redekop B. C. Ltd.	4
Repole Stable	4
Gary & Mary West	4
Woodford Racing LLC	4

KENTUCKY DERBY-WINNING OWNERS

Calumet Farm	14
Zayat Stables LLC	13
Reddam Racing LLC	9
Michael Tabor	9
WinStar Farm	9
John C. Oxley	3
Mike Pegram	3
Jerry & Ann Moss	2
Lael Stables	1
Phipps Stable	1

BREEDERS (includes partnerships)

Charles Fipke	10
Stonestreet	9
Calumet Farm	7
Gainesway Thoroughbreds Ltd.	7
Betz Thoroughbreds Inc.	6
WinStar Farm	6
G. Watts Humphrey Jr.	5
H. Allen Poindexter	5
Brandywine Farm	4
My Meadowview LLC	4

LEADING SIRES

Tapit	19
Into Mischief	16
Uncle Mo	15
Union Rags	14
Bernardini	13
Pioneerof the Nile	11
Bodemeister	10
Malibu Moon	9
Mineshaft	9
Dialed In	8
The Factor	8
Gemologist	7
War Front	7
Curlin	6
Hard Spun	6
Scat Daddy	6
Shackleford	6
Smart Strike	6
Tapizar	6
City Zip	5
Creative Cause	5
Flatter	5
Giant's Causeway	5
Lookin At Lucky	5
Majestic Warrior	5
Speightstown	5
Unbridled's Song	5

STALLIONS WHO Sired KENTUCKY DERBY WINNERS

Uncle Mo	15
Pioneerof the Nile	11
Malibu Moon	9
Distorted Humor	4
Elusive Quality	3
Birdstone	1

Leroidesanimaux (BRZ)	1
Street Cry (IRE)	1

KENTUCKY DERBY-WINNING SIRES

Street Sense	1
Super Saver	1

MISCELLANEOUS (2017)

Winners	198	47.4%
Maidens	220	52.6%
Unraced Horses	90	21.5%
Did Not Races at age 2	122	29.2%
Not Based in North America	18	4.3%
Grade/Group I Winners	7	1.7%
Grade/Group II Winners	8	1.9%
Grade/Group III Winners	7	1.7%
Grade/Group I Placed	10	2.4%
Grade/Group II Placed	10	2.4%
Grade/Group III Placed	14	3.3%
Career Earnings \$100,000+	61	14.6%
\$300,000+ Auction Purchase	101	24.2%

MISCELLANEOUS (2016)

Winners	193	52.4%
Maidens	175	47.6%
Unraced Horses	80	21.7%
Did Not Races at age 2	105	28.5%
Not Based in North America	14	3.8%
Grade/Group I Winners	7	1.9%
Grade/Group II Winners	6	1.6%
Grade/Group III Winners	9	2.4%
Grade/Group I Placed	4	1.1%
Grade/Group II Placed	6	1.6%
Grade/Group III Placed	16	4.3%
Career Earnings \$100,000+	49	13.3%
\$300,000+ Auction Purchase	75	20.4%

MISCELLANEOUS (2015)

Winners	196	45.7%
Maidens	233	54.3%
Unraced Horses	103	24.0%
Did Not Races at age 2	138	32.2%
Not Based in North America	12	2.8%
Grade/Group I Winners	8	1.9%
Grade/Group II Winners	5	1.2%
Grade/Group III Winners	10	2.3%
Grade/Group I Placed	7	1.6%
Grade/Group II Placed	7	1.6%
Grade/Group III Placed	16	3.7%
Career Earnings \$100,000+	49	11.4%
\$300,000+ Auction Purchase	63	14.7%

2017 TRIPLE CROWN NOMINEES

(g) = gelding
(r) = ridgling
(f) = filly

A

Aberdeen Island
Absolutely Stylish
Acker
Action Everyday
Adirato (JPN)
Adonis Creed (g)
Adorned
Adulation (r)
Aggie's Honor
Alan's Legacy
Aledo Moon (g)
Alex Again
Always a Suspect
Always Dreaming
American Anthem
Ann Arbor Eddie (g)
Anotador
Anyportinastorm
Apartfromthecrowd
Apollo Landing
Appalachian Gem
Aquamarine
Archimedes
Arklow
Art Imitates Life
Avail Ekati

B

B Squared
Balandeen
Baseline
Basha
Battalion Runner
Battle of Midway
Battle Ready
Bavaro
Beasley
Bee Jersey
Benevolent Prince
Big Gray Rocket
Big Hit
Bitumen
Blabimir
Blake's Lucky Star
Blame Paradise
Blame Will
Blind Ambition
Blue Buff
Bluegrass Envy (g)

Blueridge Traveler
Bobby Abu Dhabi
Bobby G
Bobbys Approval
Bonus Points
Bound for Nowhere
Bourbon Extension
Bowman West (g)
Bronson
Bronze Age

C

Cairo Healer
California Diamond
California Swing
Capitaine
Capt. Grider
Cascade Kid
Caucus (JPN)
Caustic
Cavil (g)
Change of Venue
Chief Know It All
Cistron
Classic Empire
Classic Rock
Classic Ruler
Classy Warrior
Clear N Convincing
Cloud Computing
Clubman (g)
Cohen's Kat
Coils Gold
Colonist
Comma Sister
Commandeering
Confederate
Conquest Bandit
Conquest Farenheit
Conquest Smartee
Conquest Wildcat
Convict Pike
Cool Arrow
Copper Wind
Cruz Diez
Cu Rahy
Curate
Curtis
Czech Rate

D

Dabster
Daddy's Placer
Dangerfield

Danish Tale
Daringly Bold
Derek's Smile
Dharmaster
Diamond Jim
Dilettante
Divisor
Dog Gone Lenny
Downhill Racer
Downtowner
Dr. Corday
Dr. Troutman
Drago's Pearl (g)
Drummer D the T

E

Eastport
Egyptian Hero
El Areeb
Eleutheros
Elwood J (g)
En Hanse
Endwi
Epicharis (JPN)
Equator
Everybodyluvsrudy
Excavation
Excitations
Extricate

F

Fact Finding
Factorial
Faja
Fallstar
Fayeq
Fillet of Sole
Fire for Effect
Fireball Shot
First Degree Burn
Fleet Irish
Floroplus
Foggy Night (JPN)
Formula One
Fuel the Bern

G

Gaetano
Gemstorm
General Basil Duke
Giant Payday
Girvin
Glacier
Glennrichment

Good Samaritan
Gorgeous Kitten
Gormley
Grandpa's Dream
Greatbullsoffire
Greeley and Ben
Green With Eddie
Guest Suite (g)
Gummy
Gunnevera

H
Han Sense
Harlan's Dynamo
Haul Anchor
Hay Listen Up
Heartwood
Hemsworth
Hence
Hey Mike
Hieroglyphics
High Frequency
Highland Peak (JPN)
Hinton
Holland Road
Honor and Courage
Horse Fly
Hot Dad
Hot Sean
Huracan Americo

I
I Can Do Anything
Iliad (r)
Industrialist
Indy Hill
Inouye
Insurgent (r)
Into Belief
Into Kings (r)
Into the Breach
Irap
Irish Freedom
Irish War Cry
It's Your Nickel

J
J Boys Echo
Jaime's Angel
James River
Jeremiahs Joy
Jumpin Jack Cash (g)
June Sixth (g)
Just Move On

K
Kid From New York (g)
King and His Court (g)
King Caymus
King Mauro
King Power

Kitten's Royal (g)
Klimt
Kona Dreams (g)

L
La Maquina Gris
Lancaster Bomber
Lawton
Lemonist
Letsgoidaho
Levante Lion
Lifeline
Live Round
Local Hero
Lookin At Blessing
Lookin At Lee
Lookin for Eight
Lord Admiral (g)
Love That Lute
Lowi Vene

M
Made You Look
Major Key
Malagacy
Malibu d'Oro
Marchtothemusic (g)
Marco Mischief
Master Plan
Mastery
McCraken
Meantime
Menace the Dennis (g)
Midnight Pleasure
Miggsy
Milton Freewater
Mistake Present
Mo Town
Momma's Baby Boy
Monaco
Mont Saint Legame (JPN)
Montu
More Perfect
More Than Soul
Morocco
Mo's Mojo
Moves Like Ali
Mr. Dougie Fresh
Multiplier
My Blue Heaven (JPN)
My Foolish Beau (g)
Myakka River

N
Newman
No Dozing
No More Talk
Norco

O
O Dionysus

Off Road
One Dreamy Dude
One Liner
One Mo Chance
Opportunity Cost
Outplay
Oxford Lane

P
Pacific Surf
Painter's Rags
Papa Jazz
Paradise Woods (f)
Pat On the Back
Patch
Pavelski
Perfect Partner
Perfect Tapatino (FR)
Perro Rojo
Petrov
Phat Man
Pirate's Treasure
Pollock
Practical Joke
Pretty City Dancer (f)
Prince Tito
Psychedelicat
Pure Heart

Q
Quinientos (g)

R
Rafters One
Reach the World
Recruiting Ready
Red Leopard
Reedini
Resiliency
Risky Town
Rocketry
Rockin Rudy
Romanus
Rowdy the Warrior
Royal Copy
Royal Mo
Run for the Cup
Running Mate

S
Saburo
Saint's Fan
Sakab
Saraab
Seau
Secret House
Senior Investment
Seven Squared
Shamsaan
Shane's Girlfriend (f)
Shareholder Value

Sheer Flattery
Sheer Mayhem
Shiny Copper Penny
Shirl's Ready
Shoe Loves Shoe
Silent Decree
Silver Bullion
Silver Dust
So Conflated (r)
Society Beau
Soglio
Solo Saxophone (IRE)
Sonic Mule
Sonneteer
Souper Tapit
Souper Wish
Spectacular Jack
Spicoli
Spirit of Valor
Square Shooter
Squared Squared (g)
Stapleton (g)
State of Honor
Stone Hands
Stone Mountain
Strike Your Light
Strong Yen
Surf Shack
Surfside Sunset
Syndergaard

T

Takaful
Take Notice
Take Your Guns
Takeoff
Tale of Silence
Talk Logistics
Tam Tam Attack
Tapsolute
Tapwrit
Tarpys Zip
Task Force (JPN)
Taste of Mayhem (g)
Taxman's Quest (g)
Teddy's Honor
Tequila With Lemon
Term of Art
Texican
Thataboyroy
The Angels Rejoyce
The Hardest Way
The Money Monster
The Stranger
The Walk (g)
Theory
Third Day
Thirstforlife
Three Rules
Ticonderoga
Time to Travel

Timeline
Tip Tap Tapizar
Tipu Run
Tiz a Slam
Tiz He the One
Totality
Town Champ
Trading Cash
Troublewithatec
True Timber
Tsunami Cat
Tunnel Vision
Twisted Road

U

Unbridled Eagle
Unbridled Holiday
Uncle Billy (g)
Uncle Mojo
Uncontested
Union Blues
Union Brass
Union Rebel
Unique Bella (f)
Untrapped

V

Valadorna (f)
Valdocco
Van Horn
Vandelay
Vanish
Vending Machine
Venezuelan King
Vernvango

W

Wanztbwicked
War Decree
War Secretary
Warrior's Club
Watch Me Whip
Wazzup Chuck
West Coast
West Express
Westmont (g)
What'sontheagenda
Whitecliffsofdover
Whole Lotta Luck
Wicked Macho
Wild Shot
Win With Pride
Woodrow

Y

Yo Y Me (g)
Yoshida (JPN)
Young American
Your Only Man
You're to Blame

Z

Zion Valley (g)
Zip Van Winkle
Zumurudee

